# Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

## Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 25 Mar 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 26 Mar 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 25 Mar 2024 at 01:08

**Confidence:** High for unsettled weather through the week, low for timing of bands of rain and showers.

**Headline for Monday 25 Mar 2024:** Rain this morning, heavy at times. Persistent cloud covering hills throughout the day.

**Mountain weather hazards on Monday 25 Mar 2024**

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| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>Low Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>Medium Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>High Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>Medium Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>No Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Heavy Rain | Heavy Rain | Fog | Fog | Sleet | Sleet |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 60% | 70% | 70% | 60% | 60% | 60% |

**Forecast for Monday 25 Mar 2024**

**Weather:** Outbreaks of rain through this morning, heavy at times and most persistent in the southwest. Rain easing for the afternoon, but lighter drizzle is likely to continue. Heavier rain is possible again for a time this evening, perhaps falling as a mix of rain and snow over summits, before drier conditions overnight.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 20%

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Broken cloud base 500-600m throughout, occasionally lowering towards 400m. Visibility moderate in rain, poor in drizzle and very poor in hill fog.

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**Forecast for Monday 25 Mar 2024**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 35/40 SE | 33/40 SE | 27/35 S | 26/34 SE | 24/31 SE | 22/29 SE | 22/29 E |
| **600** | 25/31 SE | 24/31 SE | 21/29 S | 20/29 SE | 17/24 SE | 16/23 SE | 15/22 E |
| **300** | 17/29 SE | 16/27 SE | 14/25 SE | 15/26 SE | 13/23 SE | 11/21 SE | 11/21 E |
| **Valley** | 17/29 SE | 16/27 SE | 14/24 SE | 15/26 SE | 13/24 SE | 11/21 SE | 10/19 E |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 2/-6 | 3/-5 | 3/-3 | 3/-4 | 2/-5 | 1/-5 | 1/-6 |
| **600** | 4/-2 | 4/-1 | 5/0 | 5/0 | 4/-1 | 3/-1 | 3/-2 |
| **300** | 6/2 | 7/3 | 8/4 | 8/4 | 6/3 | 6/2 | 5/2 |
| **Valley** | 7/3 | 8/4 | 9/6 | 10/6 | 8/5 | 7/4 | 6/4 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1200m | 1400m | 1400m | 1300m | 1200m | 1100m | 1000m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Feeling cold at height. Watercourses may be swollen after rain overnight and through the morning. Poor visibility means good navigational skills will be required on the hills.

**Forecast for Tuesday 26 Mar 2024**

**Weather:** Cloudy with outbreaks of rain and drizzle through the day, generally light but becoming persistent at times. Precipitation will fall as snow over the highest summits.

**Maximum wind:** Southeasterly 15-20 mph gusting 25-30 mph

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 30%

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Scattered cloud base 500m at first, with a more extensive layer above the summits. The main cloud layer is expected to lower to 500-600m during the morning, persisting through the afternoon. Visibility moderate to poor in rain and drizzle, very poor in cloud covering hills and in any snow.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 4 rising to plus 8 Celsius
**At 800m:** Plus 2 Celsius
**Freezing level:** 1000m

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| Wednesday | Frequent showers of rain and hail, heavy at times, falling as snow over the summits and with risk of thunder. Strong and gusty southerly winds. Freezing level around 700m. |
| Thursday | Further frequent showers, merging to give longer spells of rain at times, and falling as snow over the summits. Risk of thunder. Strong and gusty southwesterly winds. Freezing level 800-1000m. |
| Friday | Frequent showers, again with risk of hail, thunder and summit snow. Strong and gusty southwesterly winds. Freezing level 1000-1200m. |

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